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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

For many Americans, internet is as much a staple of daily live as having access to plumbing or electricity. With the rapid expansion of the internet, and as more of our lives are becoming connected, this will only become more true. Thus, barring a utility model, it's important that customers have choices in their provider. I urge you to do everything in your power to ensure Americans have access to affordable broadband internet, which at the moment means that internet provider choice cannot be a regional monopoly.

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